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ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975..

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of :  
Michael A. REEVE :  
Serial No. 08/253,212 : Group Art Unit 1815  
Filed June 2, 1994 : Examiner T. Reardon

METHOD TO ISOLATE MACROMOLECULES:  
USING MAGNETICALLY ATTRACTABLE  
BEADS WHICH DO NOT SPECIFICALLY  
BIND THE MACROMOLECULES

RESPONSE

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks,  
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

In response to the Official Action of January 10, 1995,  
the period for response having been extended for two months by  
the attached petition, please amend the present application as  
follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Claims 9 and 10, cancel without prejudice to the  
subject matter thereof.

Claim 13, line 3, before "solution" insert  
--starting--; and  
line 6, before "solution" insert  
--starting--.

Claim 21, line 1, delete "low molecular weight".

REMARKS

Favorable reconsideration is respectfully requested.  
The claims are 3, 13 to 15, 17 and 21.